

August/September 2023

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) for Grade 5 (Year 7, 2025 Interviews)

When will I hear if my child has been accepted?

Once interviews are conducted, the College will release:
Round 1 offers will be sent to families on 20th October 2023.

Applications that don't receive an initial offer will receive a letter asking if they would like to remain on the waiting list until a place opens.

If I receive an offer, what is required to confirm my child's enrolment?

An offer pack will be emailed to successful families that will include all the necessary forms required. They are to be completed and returned to the College with a \$500 deposit for 2025 school fees. Once the forms and deposit are received, your child's enrolment at the College is confirmed.

What happens if I change my mind?

If you change your mind and decide to withdraw your child's application, you will need to contact our Registrar on 9296 5311 or email registrar@cccc.vic.edu.au to confirm their withdrawal. Please note the following:

- *Change of mind at application stage:* Student is taken off waiting list; \$100 application fee non-refundable.
- *Change of mind at offer stage:* The College is unable to reinstate an offer once you decline; \$100 application fee non-refundable.
- *Change of mind after acceptance of enrolment:* Your child is taken off our confirmed enrolment list and their place will be offered to another child on the waiting list; \$500 deposit non-refundable.

Does the College offer any scholarships or accelerated learning programs?

Yes, the College offers both. Aspire, is our accelerated learning and enrichment program for students in Years 7 to 9.

All successful Year 7 enrolments will sit a compulsory testing day in Grade 6. Based on these results the College identifies suitable candidates for Aspire and recipients of our scholarships.

Enrolment into Aspire is by invitation only. Approximately 40 girls and 40 boys will be nominated to apply for Aspire based on results from testing. Applications will be assessed and approximately 25 girls and 25 boys will be selected to be part of the Aspire program.

Find out more about our scholarships and our accelerated learning and enrichment program, **Aspire**, by visiting our College website <https://www.cccc.vic.edu.au/scholarships-2>

If our application is successful, what transition or orientation is available?

Once your child's enrolment is confirmed, transition and orientation programs will commence in Grade 6. This includes a Trivia night for all families early in the year, testing day in July and a two-day orientation program; one day in December and one day on the first day of school in Year 7.

How do I stay in touch regarding College events?

You can subscribe to our online newsletter by visiting our College website, connect with us via our social media channels - Facebook, Twitter and Instagram. You will automatically be subscribed to our newsletter and other notifications from the commencement of Year 7 via our parent portal, Compass.

Who do I contact if I have any further questions?

If you have any further questions, please contact our Registrar at the College on 9296 5311 or email registrar@ccc.vic.edu.au.